

I support the proposed rule. The largest barrier to the establishment of high-speed rural broadband in Mississippi is the lack of capability to penetrate trees. The 25 watt EIRP proposed would significantly address this limitation. The second barrier is range. The power limitation proposed would address this barrier. 50 MHz of spectrum which is unlicensed, when equipment becomes available, would provide small companies the avenue to provide rural broadband which is now not available in our area. The large companies which have licensed spectrum choose not to provide this service in rural Mississippi.